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The Grain Depositors and Sellers Indemnity Fund Board (hereafter "board" or "fund") held a meeting by telephone conference call on Thursday, January 16, 2020, in the office of the Grain Warehouse Bureau Chief, Wallace State Office Building, 502 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Des Moines, Iowa, with Maury Noonan, Regulatory Division Director of Consumer Protection and Science Services president designee, as chairperson.

Attending the meeting in addition to Maury Noonan (hereafter "chairperson") were the following:

Monica Bieri

Board Member – Grain Industry Rep. Letts, Iowa

Lori Goetzinger

Board Member – Grain Industry Rep. Ralston, Iowa

Debra Keller

Board Member – Producer Rep. Clarion, Iowa

**Curtis Sindergard** 

Board Member – Producer Rep. Rolfe, Iowa

Luke Donahe State Capitol Building Board Member – Treasurer Designee Des Moines, Iowa

Jacob Larson Hoover State Office Building

(Assistant Attorney General for the Fund) Des Moines, Iowa

Jeff Walker, Accountant Wallace State Office Building

Grain Warehouse Bureau Des Moines, Iowa

James Kennedy, Acting Bureau Chief Wallace State Office Building

Grain Warehouse Bureau Des Moines, Iowa

Board Member(s) Absent: None

This meeting, upon duly prescribed notice, was called to order by the chairperson at 2:01 P.M. The chairperson noted that this meeting of the Grain Depositors and Sellers Indemnity Fund was being held by telephone conference call since it was impractical for members to travel to a common location for a meeting projected to last only a few minutes.

The chairperson called for any additions or corrections to the December 19, 2019 board minutes. The chairperson called for a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Ms. Keller made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Ms. Bieri seconded the motion, and the board approved the motion unanimously.

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The chairperson called on Luke Donahe to present the treasurer's report. Mr. Donahe reported that the balance of the fund as of January 15, 2020 was \$ 3,612,506.47. The chairperson asked if there were any questions about the treasurer's report. Hearing none, the chairperson called for a motion to accept the treasurer's report. Ms. Goetzinger made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Ms. Bieri seconded the motion, and the board approved the motion unanimously.

The chairperson called on Jeff Walker to present the December 31, 2019 financial statements. As of December 31, 2019, the balance in the Investment in State of Iowa Pooled Accounts was \$3,647,621.80; the Equity in the Iowa Grain Indemnity Fund was \$3,646,170.51; there was a net decrease in the fund for the month of \$31,039.30; and there was a fiscal year to date decrease in the fund of \$158,215.04. The chairperson asked if there were any questions about the financial statements. Hearing none, the chairperson called for a motion to accept the financial statements. Ms. Bieri made a motion to approve the financial statements. Mr. Sindergard seconded the motion, and the board approved the motion unanimously.

There was no reason for the board to go into closed session.

New Business: There was none.

The meeting for next month will be held by telephone conference call at 2:00 P.M., Thursday, February 20, 2020.

There was no further business to come before the board. The chairperson asked for a motion to adjourn. Ms. Bieri made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Keller seconded the motion and the board approved the motion unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 2:06 P.M.

Minutes Submitted by James Kennedy, board administrator, January 16, 2020.